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In re Patent Application of: Mark Palahee

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For: SURGICAL SURFACE LOCALIZING GRID

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**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a one month extension of time to and including April 4, 2008 to respond to the Office Action mailed January 4, 2008.

In the event that a further petition for an extension of time is required to be submitted at this time, applicant hereby petitions under 37 CFR 1.136(a) for an extension of time for as many months as are required to ensure that the above-identified application does not become abandoned.

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Respectfully submitted,

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